

Save the Date!

Mercury in Northern California Community Health & Strategy Meeting

For California Tribes, Tribal Members & Environmental
Justice Organizations



**April 22-23, 2005
Tribal Meeting Room
1545 E. Highway 20, Nice, CA
North Clearlake**



**Hosted By:
Robinson Rancheria**

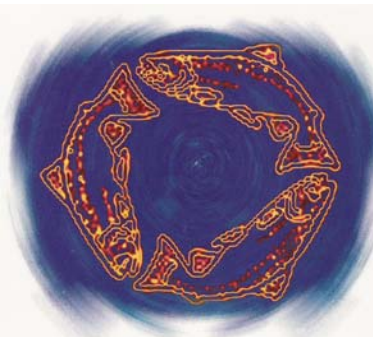
The Mercury Tribal Health & Environmental Justice Program is a Collaborative Project of the International Indian Treaty Council & the Pit River Nation.

There are thousands of abandoned mines in California leaking the toxic legacy of the Gold Rush, mercury, into our rivers, lakes and streams. This is a shared threat to our cultures, traditional foods and the health of our children. What will we do together to protect our future generations?

Friday April 22nd

Tribal Workshops & Trainings

- Overview of Issue
- Community Health
- Which fish are safe?
- Mine Locations
- Resources Available to Tribes



Saturday April 23rd

Tribes & Environmental Justice Coalition Building

- A Shared Issue
- Current Efforts
- Resources Available
- Strategy Sharing
- Organizing Roundtable

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Directions:

Robinson Rancheria is located at 1545 E. Highway 20 in Nice on the Beautiful North Shore of Clear Lake.

For Additional Information and Larger Maps please visit the **Robinson Rancheria Casino and Bingo** website at: <http://www.robinsonrancheria.biz/directions.htm>

From **San Francisco/San Jose**: Take U.S Highway 101 **north** to Ukiah. Then take CA-20 **east** toward Upper Lake/Williams. Robinson Rancheria will be on your left as you enter NICE, CA. An alternate from U.S. Highway 101, is to take Hwy. 175 in Hopland, proceed to Hwy. 29 and turn left. At CA-20 in Upper Lake, turn right and continue until you see Robinson Rancheria on the left. Turn into the Robinson Rancheria Casino driveway. Drive up the hill past the casino to the Tribal Meeting Building.

From **Oakland**: Take I-580 **west** or U.S. Highway 880 toward San Francisco (Portions toll). Merge onto US-101 **north** through San Francisco, cross Golden Gate Bridge. Continue on US-101 past Ukiah. Take CA-20 **east** toward Upper Lake/Williams. Robinson Rancheria will be on your left as you enter NICE, CA. An alternate route through the wine country is to take U.S. Highway 80 to Vallejo, exit Columbus Parkway and cross over freeway to Hwy 37/Hwy 29. Follow Hwy. 29 to CA-20. Turn into the Robinson Rancheria Casino driveway. Drive up the hill past the casino to the Tribal Meeting Building.

From **Sacramento**: Take I-5 **north** towards Williams/Redding. Take the CA-20 exit **west** toward Clear Lake. Stay on CA-20 passing through Clearlake Oaks, Glenhaven, and Lucerne until you come to Nice, CA. Robinson Rancheria is on your right in Nice, CA. Turn into the Robinson Rancheria Casino driveway. Drive up the hill past the casino to the Tribal Meeting Building.

Hotels:

Robinson Rancheria Hotel: ** Special Rates are available ** Let them know you are with the "International Indian Treaty Council group" to get a introductory fee for the new rooms at \$79 night.
15 E. Highway 20
Nice, Ca. 95464 **(800) 270-0757**

Konocti Vista Resort and Casino (Big Valley Rancheria) * Call for rates. Possible \$69 Special Rate for Friday night stay. Let them know you are with the "International Indian Treaty Council" *
2755 Mission Rancheria Road
Lakeport, Ca. **(707) 262-1900**

Motel 8 * Call for Rates * **(800) 800-8000**
450 E. Hwy.20
Upper Lake, Ca.